



# Loyola News

VOL. XVI NO. 9.

DECEMBER 2, 1939.

## "SOY BEAN."

"In thanking our guest speakers I say with all sincerity that their combined lecture and demonstration was most enjoyable as well as very interesting and instructive." So went the words of Angus Macdonnell, who moved a vote of thanks on behalf of the Scientific Society, and in those few words he summed up the feelings of everybody present at the society's Monday night meeting. Attracted by the very novel subject, the 'SOY BEAN' a very large enthusiastic gathering assembled in the Senior Class lecture room and for two hours listened attentively to Mr. Russell of the Ford Company, and his fellow speakers, Messrs. Brown and Dyke. Motion Picture shorts on the automobile industry and the Soy bean completed our visitors programme. A few minutes of amusing and interesting questions and answers followed in which members of the audience discussed the advantages of the Soy Bean with the speakers. Richard Pare, the president of the Society, presided over the meeting.

Mr. Cavanagh is to be congratulated for arranging such an excellent programme.

## SODALITY.

The Sodality is bustling with activity this week, and for good reason; preparations are now being made for the outstanding event of the year. Next Friday we celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary; this day in the lives of some of our fellow students is destined to be an opening unto a new life, for it is the day on which they dedicate themselves to Mary. The full importance of this day was brought out by Fr Daly in the weekly meeting Wednesday. Fr. Daly, impressed upon us the effect which this day has on the new sodalist, "To those who have acquired the correct meaning of this devotion to Mary", said

## "DRAMATICS".

When the final curtain drops in the College Theatre next Friday night, closing the sixth play to be staged by the dramatic society within the month, it will end one of the most eventful chapters in the club's short history. Scarcely a day since September has the stage been empty of set-builders, scene-painters, or rehearsing men. The three plays being presented Friday are: THE GREY OVERCOAT, A detective mystery; KNIGHT LIFE, a comedy about boys who would be boys and IT WILL BE ALLRIGHT ON THE NIGHT, a farce based on the thrills and the thorns of an amateur rehearsal.

The six one-act plays selected for this term represent almost every type of the short modern play. The three staged on November 16th included a death-packed drama, a light religious play, and a war-time comedy. The plays next week will be almost as varied.

For everybody's greater convenience, latecomers will not be seated during the first play; so it will be more comfortable to be on time. First curtain at 8.15 sharp.

## K.B.S.

The K. B. S. HELD their weekly meeting last Tuesday. There were five speakers at the gathering: The following spoke; Simard, who spoke on 'The Ideal City'; Curran, gave a short chat on 'The Ideal Friend'; then W. Humes talked briefly on 'The Ideal Sport'; Colar talked on 'The Ideal Gift'; and finally the subject 'The Ideal way to spend a holiday' was discussed by Dawson. Father Daly then read to them a letter sent to him from the pastor of St. Annes, regarding the dire straits of the poor in that parish, whom the College have taken on to look after.

Fr. Daly, "a wholly new and inspiring spiritual life is opened to them, but by the few who fail to grasp the full sig-

continued

LOYOLA NEWS PUBLISHED  
WEEKLY AT LOYOLA COLLEGE  
MONTREAL.

Editor-in-chief: John Doyle.  
Managing Editor: Harold Tingle.  
Associate Editor: John Brayley.

Editorial Staff: P. Garten, J. Sullivan, P. Shaughnessy.

Publishing Staff: H. Bedard, S. Knox, F. Monahan, J. Kastner, F. Kohler, D. Beloux, D. McCulloch.

AD MAJOREM DEI GLORIAM.

### SODALITY DAY

To students of Loyola as to Catholics the world over, December 8th is the day of days in Our Lady's annual Calendar of Feasts. Each year Loyola men turn out in great numbers to pay homage to the Mother of God, and to celebrate the glorious Feast of her Immaculate Conception.

This year will be no exception. already plans are going ahead to make the event greater than any other. There are a good number of loyal candidates who will take the place of those who left our portals last year, so the Sodality will be even stronger than ever.

Although this day is celebrated by all the Students, it is especially the great day for the Sodalists and the candidates.

The Mass in the morning and the reception in the afternoon rank among the greatest events of the year. And on this day all the Sodalists old and new dedicate themselves to the Mother of God and her protection.

### THE FINNS FIGHT AGAIN

The old policy of the Russian Bear has been to throw the whole world into the state of revolution and like a slinking battle-field scavenger, cleans up the remains itself. The clumsy mangy old brute has never been able to fool the world but thanks to his new neighbor Germany, its day has come and it wastes no time. In neutral countries, it sets one's blood boiling to hear about the dastard Reds sneaking over to little Finland for the pickings once the great powers of Europe are occupied.

Yesterday hundreds of tall, blond, handsome Finns were lying dead in the streets of Helsinki, torn by bombs and falling ruins. After only three Russian air-raids a noble institution of art already lies destroyed. East

(con't on page 3)

### COLLEGE DIARY.

To the Quints I say that the remarks I made about their remarks were not idle words but, on the contrary, an admonition given with the full editorial approval and on undeniable evidence. Let them inquire, if they will, of the man in charge..but for the nonce I shall continue the onerous duty of diaring and diarying week after week, day in, day out. Will it never end?

...Normie Dann, working out a Calculus problem is said to be the living example of that great Physical principle "The Conservation of Energy."

...John Brayley has been working on an invention that will revolutionize the invention that revolutionized inventing. It is very.....you may be sure..... and is also quite.....

...Ninotchka Bessette says that there is a secret treaty between Iceland and Transylvania which eventually threatens the integrity of Lachine! Gracious me!

...Paddy Desgrossetcetera says that scientists have found study can be done better if the feet are above the level of the head, as the blood flows more readily in that position. And consequently do not be surprised to see Paddy standing on his head... If you get that then call it a workout and quit....

...Forecasting a mourning and talking on the Flak the other day I don't pass the following: McKenna (biting his teeth) OOOOOOH! Fortin: "Whats the matter, old man?"

McKenna: "I wrote home asking for some money to buy a study lamp!" Fortin: "Well what's so sad about that?"

McKenna: "They sent me a lamp!"

...Which reminds me of Terry Thomson describing Donny Newton's automobile driving prowess, says Terry, "Is this guy reckless?" Say when the road turns in the same way as he does..it's a Coincidence! (An exaggeration..I feel sure.)

...Dissertation. For some unknown reason I seem to have aroused the Quints, and some other youngster named Ivall to cast remarks in my direction. Un'til now I have scorned to reply but today the worm well you know what. To Ivall I say that my entrance into the College was a day of great rejoicing for the Faculty and the Alumni alike, but the feasting at my entrance shall hardly excel their jubilation that his exit will enjoin, when it cometh.

...With no love in my heart and hate in my ethical action, I shall

ADSCOLL

## ST. JOHN BERCHMANS' SOCIETY.

Last Sunday the Sanctuary Society celebrated the feast day of its Patron and Founder St John Berchmans. In the evening took place the reception of candidates. Fr. Rector officiated receiving the new members. Fr. Walsh delivered the sermon stressing the great honor and privilege given to all members. Benediction then followed after which the annual Banquet was held. Fr O'Donnell a former moderator of the Society, was the guest of honour. The President B. Veilleux spoke a few appropriate words, voicing the approbation of all. Fr Moderator, Mr. Corrigan then addressed all present. The evening broke up with every one feeling just that much better and nobler, with the words of the sermon ringing in their hearts, quoted from a member of the Privy Council and past Lieutenant Governor of this Province: "The highest honor that a layman can obtain, is that of kneeling at the foot of the Altar as an Altar-boy."

(Cont'd from page one)  
nificance of this day very little change is felt". Thus, dear candidate, it is imperative that you spend this week in preparing yourself for your reception next week. Ask God to aid you in obtaining an idea of the true ideals of the Sodality, so that you may be able in all honesty to claim the title of Sodalist. Besides the preparation for the play and the reception of candidates and the banquet, the Sodality is literally up to it's neck in it's other activities. The poor committee has received such a rush of clothes that Fr. Daly has found it imperative to have new shelves erected in the poor depot. This is what I call co-operation, but don't stop now, we have only begun, keep up the good work, fellows.

(Cont'd from page two)  
night Russian ships were squatting at anchor off Finland's coastal towns, calmly hurling shells at villages. And unless the Finns had surrendered their country by 8EST this morning this was to keep up. Can the Finns win?

Whether they can or not, it should draw energy, fierce and furious from the whole world over to grace for ever the doming swastika and sickle that are tattooed on the bosom of Europe.

## AS WE SEE IT

"From the Ridiculous to the sublime". Yes sir, that's one term in which one may look upon the Philosopher's Concert, -- but we Quints say it's the tops.

A great ball player who for several years has gone unnoticed by the College baseball team---one Norman Dann. A likely candidate for the team next Spring.

Also a new "white hope" challenger to Joe Louis' crown -- Ah Yes, you guessed it: Gus Macdougall. However he better keep "Tiger" Shore for sparring purposes only. I don't want a candidate for the Rusty Ballot -- "Spike" Kelly, if the Ballet Russe overlook him, they might as well close up. They might at that---who knows? And at last a crooner, tall, silver-voiced and handsome "Bing" Gagnon sent many a female heart home fluttering after his rendition of "A Man and His Dream". A star is born within our portals -- or is it the flat? And now for the audience many interesting personages appeared and no one went home empty handed; a sterling entertainment.

Being Friday Teddy McNicholl did not mind the double dose of fish. That's all for now -- see you at the Sodality Concert.

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

--- by Bill Brayley.

Question: Whom of all the world's living men would you like most to meet?

Answered by: Second High.

Stephen Corcoran: Adolf Hitler.  
Gerry Gallagher: The Pope.  
Charlie Roche: The Duke of Windsor.  
Andy Lesage: The Emperor of Japan.  
Paul Shaughnessy: Roosevelt.  
Ed Shatilia: Winston Churchill.  
Joe Gallagher: The King of England.  
Joe McEachern: Eddie Shore.  
Joe Cain: Hitler--to kill him.

## YOU DON'T SAY SO!

Did Sherbrooke have anything to do with Pete Shaughnessy's absence from the gathering two Fridays ago? What 3rd High Prof is on the brink of a nervous breakdown because of Paul "non intellego" Racz?....We hear that last week the Quints' poetic attempts met with disaster....Sylvic "Muni" Marizzano is saving coupons to get a record of Bethoven's 8th symphony in "g" minor. Is it music or the sun? In spite of the "silly pleases" the following appears: Someone wrote to G. MacLoy has failed---in Algebra! Bill Asselin hopes to get one "parr" with whom?....weekly advice: what?

**HOCKEY:-**

Although the weather of late does not seem to agree, hockey, and skating are beginning to take over the minds of the sport fans; and Loyola students are no exception.

The College team is starting to contemplate the defence of its Championship for the third successive year, and the High School is after the city championship which they so narrowly missed in football, has already been out and getting the feel of their skates on the frozen surface of the Lachine Arena. The Juniors will also be out in quest of another Championship.

Because of the marvellous viewpoint of the students this year on extra-mural activity, it will take a lot to stop them from gaining these three bitterly fought-for trophies.

The teams in the College Loop must be getting tired of seeing Loyola dominate them year in and year out in football and hockey and they will be out in full force to stop them. Whereas for the High School teams, McGee and Catholic High and the others are certainly not going to let us take anything without a terrific fight.

**THE SENIORS:-****COACH:-FATHER SHERIDAN**

Last year Father Sheridan did much for the Senior Team...this year he led it to the championship. Loyola has had some pretty good coaches and Father Sheridan is certainly one of the Best. From beginning to end he has done his best for the players, the team and Loyola. With him as coach next year we know that the city championship will be Loyola's.

**CAPTAIN:-JAKE WARREN.**

As Captain and Quarter Jake was an inspiration to the Senior team. He was always up front fighting. His passing and running gained many yards for Loyola. We hope to see him playing again next year.

**GRIDIRON DEFINITIONS.**

The following is a revised glossary containing definitions of modern rugby terms which is published for the edification of our sports-loving readers.

**TOUCHDOWN:** Something you know has been made when a player has carried the ball over the goal-line without a conference between the officials.

**HUDDLE:** The main reason it takes so long to play a game.

**LATEAL PASS:** Usually a forward pass

Sport's Editor: Bill Shore  
Ass't Sport Editor: Poto Shaughnessy

Sport Staff:  
W. Brayley, R. Brodrick, A. Mole  
R. Lindsay, Norman Dann.

**OUR CHAMPION TEAM****JUNIORS****JOE JARDIN.**

A little bit with lots of fight is a term very appropriate for little Joe Jardin. His real name is Lucian, but don't let him hear it. Joe was injured at the beginning of the season and was lost to the team for three games. His last three however made up for everything. A hardy plunger, a terrific tackler, Joe joins a lot of this year's juniors who will have their last season next year. Nice going Joe!

**FRANK KATNE.**

Laffin' boy is quite a lad. At College here he's known as 'Butch' and on the field as 'The Headache' (to the opposition). Tall lanky Frank is the ideal end. Most genial of the genial is Frank, a real teamster and a great player. We'll be waiting for you next year, Frank.

**PAUL LIMOGES.**

When it became known that Gerry Mulcair could not play this year, Coach Jim Tomecko began to look out for a player of Gerry's calibre. This is where Paul comes in. His improvement in one year was so remarkable that it is easily thought that he is the best Line-man of the League this year. Light, but with a charge of dynamite, Paul played practically the season at middle. He too will be back next year and we can expect the same Paul Limoges, bigger but impossibly greater.

**HARRY ALLEN.**

We could not see much of Harry Allen this year under that big blanket, but we did get glimpses. One especially was at Bishops where he turned in a sixty minute performance. Better luck next season, Harry!

thrown by a cross-eyed quarter-back.

**DROP-KICK:** A lost art revived by MacDougall.

**FUMBLE:** The backbone of the game.

**INTERCEPTED PASS:** A Ball hitting, an opposing player on the head or shoulders and taking him by surprise.

**TRICK PLAY:** A Device used by a team to confuse its own players.

**STUBBORN PLAY:** Any style of play that results in the loss of the ball on downs.